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Title: HEAT SEALER FOR THERMOPLASTIC FILMS

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Responsive to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed March 10, 2000, the period for response being until May 10, 2000, enclosed are the following:

1. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by Robert Milet;
2. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by Daniel George; and
3. Copy of the Notice of Missing Parts.

Please charge the \$130.00 fee for the late filing of the original declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) to Deposit Account No. 07-1765. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to the same account.

Please note that a previous Response to this Notification was mailed by Applicants' attorney on May 8, 2000 -- however, that Response mistakenly referenced an incorrect Serial No. 09/407,929. Further, the Declarations accompanying that Response also mistakenly referenced the incorrect serial number. Applicant's attorney apologizes for any inconvenience that the previous Response has caused.

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Response Due 5/10/2000

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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